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Statement from Governor Jan Brewer regarding today's convening of a special Fiesta Bowl panel

"Today, I convened a special advisory group that will offer assistance and counsel as the Fiesta Bowl works to restore its reputation and maintain its role as an Arizona showcase.

"This panel includes founding members of the Fiesta Bowl, as well as some of the state's leading figures from across the spectrum of business, athletics, tourism and public policy. Their common thread: a desire to see the Fiesta Bowl return to the core principles and values that made it an Arizona institution. In that regard, today's meeting was a first step.

"I'm pleased that the esteemed members of this panel believe as strongly in this mission as I do. I'm confident we can work together – on behalf of Fiesta Bowl fans and volunteers alike – to ensure the Bowl emerges from this process a stronger and more accountable institution."

Individuals invited to participate in the Governor's special Fiesta Bowl panel:

Betsey Bayless
Michael Bidwill
Jerry Colangelo
Don Cardon
Karl Eller
Sherry Henry
C.A. Howlett
Ken Kendrick
Jack Lengyel
Anne Mariucci
Ruth McGregor
Don Meyers
Robert Sarver
Danny White
Brad Wright